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**Attn: Mail Stop Amendment**

Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
Application No. 10/701,844; Filed: November 4, 2003  
For: **Chlamydia Protein, Gene Sequence and Uses Thereof**  
Inventors: W. James JACKSON *et al.*  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$630.00 to cover \$450.00 for two (2) months extension of time (large entity) and \$180.00 Submission of IDS;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a);
3. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 with Exhibit A;
4. First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Filing Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (c);
5. Form PTO/SB/08A (1 page) citing ten (10) documents (US1-US7 and FP1-FP3);
6. Copy of three (3) cited documents (FP1-FP3);
7. Form PTO/SB/08B (4 pages) citing thirty five (35) documents (NPL1-NPL35);
8. Copy of thirty five (35) cited documents (NPL1-NPL35); and
9. One (1) return postcard.

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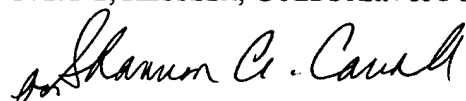
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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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